IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

GEORGE BERTRAM, et al.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 23, 2011, to which the time for response was set to expire August 23, 2011. A Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee are submitted herewith to extend the date for response to close of the first business day after October 23, 2011, namely, Monday, October 24, 2011. Claims 1-44 are pending, and claims 1-20, 43 and 44 were rejected. Claims 21-42 are currently withdrawn from consideration. Reconsideration and entry of the following amendments are respectfully requested.

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.